"There are risks and costs to a program of action. But they are far less than the long-range risks and costs of comfortable inaction." John F. Kennedy

STEP 1: CONSIDER THE EVIDENCE

ACTION

Familiarize yourself with current HCP

immunization recommendations for health care personnel (HCP)

Understand the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO) standard for influenza vaccination

RESOURCE

Immunization Action Coalition (IAC)

Recommendations

Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC) Morbidity & Mortality Weekly Report (MMWR) Feb 24, 2006⁴

Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC) Morbidity & Mortality Weekly Report (MMWR) July 13, 2007¹ & Summary

IAC First Do No Harm

JCAHO Standard, June 13, 20063

